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ON THE COMMITTEES.

Places Drawn by Some Ohio Members of the House.

ONLY A SHORT SESSION TUESDAY.

Appointment of Attorney General Knox Considered by the Senate in Executive Session—Holiday Recess—Congressional Doings.

Washington, Dec. 10.—There was a very large attendance on the floor of the house Tuesday in anticipation of the announcement of committees by the speaker.

Mr. Richardson (Tenn.), leader of the minority, offered a resolution to place upon the house payroll the special employes usually allowed the minority. The resolution was adopted without division.

Mr. Hemenway (Ind.), chairman of the special committee to consider and report a bill to fix salaries of officers and employes of the house, submitted the report of his committee.

Speaker Henderson announced standing committees in addition to those heretofore announced. Among them Ohio members drew the following places on the more important committees: Tompkins, interstate and foreign commerce; Nevin, judiciary; Gill, banking and currency; Burton, chairman rivers and harbors; Grosvenor, chairman merchant marine and fisheries; Dick, member of military affairs; Shattuc, chairman immigration and naturalization, with Skiles on same committee; Gordon, agriculture; Beidler, foreign affairs; Bromwell, post-offices and post roads.

Following are the chairmen of committees in addition to the three previously stated having Ohio members for chairmen: Census, Hopkins, Ills.; interstate and foreign commerce, Hepburn, Iowa; coinage, weights and measures, Southard, Ohio; invalid pensions, Sulloway, N. H.; military affairs, Hull, Iowa; naval affairs, Foss, Ills.; insular affairs, Cooper, Wis.; foreign affairs, Hitt, Ills.; pensions, Loudermiller, N. J.; judiciary, Ray, N. Y.; banking and currency, Fowler, N. Y.; education, Grow, Pa.; labor, Gardiner, N. J.; agriculture, Wadsworth, N. Y.; patents, Reeves, Ills.; claims, Graff, Ills.; war claims, Mahon, Pa.; militia, Dick, Ohio; postoffices and post roads, Loud, Cal.; public lands, Lacey, Iowa; District of Columbia, Babcock, Wis.; reform in the civil service, Gillett, Mass.; manufactures, Steele, Ind.; mines and mining, Eddy, Minn.; printing, Heatwole, Minn.; library, McCleary, Minn.; select committee on examination and disposition of documents, Robers, Mass.; select committee on industrial arts and expositions, Tawney, Minn.; election of president, vice president and representatives in congress, Corliss, Mich.; elections No. 1, Taylor, Ohio; elections No. 2, Olmstead, Pa.; elections No. 3, Weeks, Mich.; Pacific railroads, W. A. Smith, Mich.; railroads and canals, Davidson, Wis.; levees and improvements of the Mississippi river, Bartholdt, Mo.; revision of the laws, Warner, Ills.; private land claims, G. W. Smith, Ills.; alcoholic liquor traffic, Sperry, Conn.; ventilation and acoustics, Bishop, Mich.; expenditures in the state department, Ketcham, N. Y.; expenditures in the treasury department, Cousins, Iowa; expenditures in the war department, Russell, Conn.; expenditures in the postoffice department, Wanger, Pa.; expenditures in the navy department, Stewart, N. J.; expenditures in the interior department, Curtis, Kan.; expenditures in the department of justice, Overstreet, Ind.; expenditures in the department of agriculture, Gillett, V. Y.; expenditures on public buildings, Fletcher, Minn.; accounts, Bull, Rhode Island.

The house adopted a resolution providing for a holiday adjournment from Dec. 19 to Jan. 6.

At 1:55 p. m. the house adjourned till Friday.

In the Senate.

The senate, after routine business, upon motion of Mr. Lodge, at 12:45 o'clock went into executive session.

After the senate went into executive session Senator Hoar presented the report of the committee on judiciary recommending the confirmation of Attorney General Knox. He made a brief statement, referring to the protests against confirmation as made by the Anti-Trust league, but said that after giving careful attention to this representation the committee had decided to recommend confirmation.

No opposition was voiced, but action on the nomination was postponed by common consent. The senate then, before taking up the isthmian canal treaty, proceeded to pass upon other nominations, of which there are an exceptionally large number before the senate.

Senator Lodge spoke in favor of the canal treaty, saying all objectionable features of the last treaty had been removed; that the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, standing so long in the way of

a canal, had been removed; that the change in article 1 was of material importance. He said the concessions were ample for the interests of the United States.

At 1:55 p. m. the senate adjourned for the day.

The adjournment without further consideration was in order to give the Democratic caucus committee an opportunity to consider the treaty.

Some Senate Bills.

Senator Hoar has introduced a bill giving United States courts jurisdiction in cases of lynching, and providing the death penalty for participation in lynchings. Mr. Hoar's bill authorizing the president to correspond with other Christian nations for the suppression of anarchy provides that an island be procured to which anarchists and their followers can be banished.

Senator Hale introduced a number of bills relating to the navy, among them being bills to enable naval court-martial and naval courts of inquiry to compel the attendance of civilian witnesses; to equalize the pay of officers of the navy with those of corresponding ranks in the army and marine corps; to authorize the commandants of naval stations beyond continental limits of the United States to convene general courts-martial for the trial of offenders under their command, and to authorize an increase of the enlisted force of the marine corps.

Other bills introduced are the following: By Mr. Hoar, Senator Thurston's bill of last session defining conspiracy in restraint of trade; by Mr. Gamble, to establish mining experiment stations to aid the development of mineral resources of the United States; by Mr. Warren, granting 160 acres of land each for the use of the plants of industrial institutions located on the public domain; by Mr. Money, appropriating \$15,000 annually from the sale of public lands to support an institution for the industrial education of women; by Mr. Perkins, to prohibit Chinese immigration; by Mr. Teller, authorizing the construction of a railroad across Alaska by the Trans-Alaskan Railroad company and granting each alternate section of public land along the line of the proposed road; by Mr. Mason, providing a code of land laws for the territory of Hawaii, classifying the salaries of postoffice clerks and fixing an eight-hour day for postoffice employes.

Preliminary Agreement.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The arrangement entered into at Managua Monday between United States Minister Merry and the minister of foreign affairs of Nicaragua were in the nature of a protocol, and was not, strictly speaking, a treaty. It is in effect a definition, in advance, of the character of treaty that Nicaragua is willing to enter into with the United States in the event that the Hay-Pauncefote treaty is ratified by the United States and Great Britain. There are supposed to be legal reasons why a treaty, pure and simple, could not be entered into between the United States and Nicaragua in advance of the consummation of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. A similar arrangement has been or will be made with the government of Costa Rica to secure the necessary rights on that part of San Juan river essential for canal purposes, and possibly subject to Costa Rican sovereignty.

Why Hackett Resigned.

Washington, Dec. 10.—President has accepted the resignation of Frank W. Hackett as assistant secretary of the navy, to take effect next Monday, when his successor, Charles H. Darling of Vermont, who is expected here in a day or two, will relieve him of his official duties. In the correspondence that took place between Secretary Long and Mr. Hackett the latter explained he was compelled to give up his office and return to his law practice, and Secretary Long expressed regret that this was necessary.

Philippine Tariff Bill.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The Republican members of the ways and means committee agreed upon a Philippine tariff measure, and later the entire membership of the committee, Democrats and Republicans, was called together for the first time. The Democratic members were informed of the program regarding the bill, which includes reporting it Friday and passing it, after one day's debate, Saturday, under a special rule. The provisions of the bill are practically as heretofore published.

Will Appeal to Congress.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The William McKinley Memorial Arch association has determined to change its plan of operation so as to appeal to congress instead of to the public for the erection of the proposed McKinley memorial in Washington. The association will be reincorporated and contributions received by the association for the proposed memorial arch will be returned.

Three Oaks, Mich., Dec. 10.—Fire destroyed the millinery store of E. H. Cross, the general merchandise store of Reita Hollett, and a furniture building adjoining. Loss \$50,000; one-half covered by insurance.

IN FAVOR OF SCALPING

A. F. L. Convention Wants Congress to Let Scalpers Alone.

SAY THEIR BUSINESS IS LEGITIMATE.

Delegate Who Opposed the Resolution Declared Many Scalpers Are Criminals—More Resolutions Offered. Per-Capita Tax Raised.

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 10.—The first business to come before the convention of the American Federation of Labor Tuesday was the introduction of additional resolutions, for which consent was necessary. First Vice President Duncan of Boston protested against the presentation of resolutions at this time, as they could easily have been presented Saturday, when the constitutional time limit expired. The resolutions dealt with the piano makers' lable, several boycotts, and the agreement between the piano makers and the wood workers regarding their jurisdiction.

The committee having charge of the secretary's report recommended that the suggestions made in that report be accepted, with the exception of that part referring to the per capita tax of national and international unions. The committee recommended that the tax be increased from one-third to one-half of one per cent per month. The recommendations were adopted.

The committee on resolutions presented voluminous reports. Among the resolutions was one asking all resolutions to give the status from the jurisdiction over which they claim to administer authority. This brought up the question of autonomy, and First Vice President Duncan made the important announcement that he will ask for the appointment of a special committee to consider the whole question of autonomy. This announcement had the effect of killing the resolution, there being no opposition to the motion to adopt the recommendation of the committee.

The resolution pledging the American Federation of Labor to use every honorable means to prevent the passage by congress of anti-scalping legislation was favorably reported by the committee. State Senator Tanqueray of Colorado, a member of the Railroad Telegraphers' union and John B. Lennon of Bloomington, Ills., of the Journeymen Tailors' union vigorously opposed the resolution. Senator Tanqueray declared the federation was going outside of its legitimate field in considering such a resolution, and the organization was treading on dangerous ground. Mr. Lennon said many of the ticket scalpers were criminals, and told of a case where 45,000 tickets had been forged on one railroad and sold by scalpers.

Lee Hart of Chicago, of the Theatrical Stage Employees' National Alliance, and E. A. Agard, mayor of Fairbury, Ills., who represents the glass-bottle blowers, led the forces in favor of the resolution. They maintained that ticket scalping was a legitimate business, and was the means of cheapening travel.

The discussion was continued by W. J. Croke of Marion, Ind., of the Flint-Glass Blowers, C. O. Sherman of the Chicago Metal Workers, and Eugene O'Rourke of the New York Typographical union, who favored the resolution; Sheldon A. Harris of Dwight, Ills., a Congregational minister and a member of the Federal union, and Dennis Hayes of Philadelphia, of the Glass-Bottle Blowers, opposed it. The previous question was moved after Mr. Lennon had made a motion to lay the resolution on the table, which was lost. The resolution was then adopted by an overwhelming viva voce vote. The three delegates representing the Railroad Telegraphers went on record as being opposed to the resolution.

The special committee on Chinese exclusion made its report, recommending the passage of laws excluding Chinese, Japanese and all other Asiatic races. The committee was a unit on Chinese exclusion, but divided on the Japanese and other Asiatic races. The report was divided into two parts, and the Chinese exclusion was taken up for discussion. It was adopted unanimously. The Japanese section was laid on the table.

Rough Voyage.

Port Townsend, Wash., Dec. 10.—The schooner Ralph Long, Captain Green, 47 days from Cape Nome, with 90 passengers and 15 stowaways, has arrived here, and, according to passengers, she had the most eventful voyage of any vessel sailing from the north. She sailed from Nome, Oct. 23, with provisions enough to last her to Dutch Harbor under favorable circumstances. Before reaching that port the water supply gave out, and for two days passengers were without water. After sailing from Dutch Harbor the vessel experienced continual gales of unusual severity, the most severe being Nov. 11, when seas swept the vessel from stem to stern, carrying away

a portion of the water supply and one lifeboat. Mal Hanson was washed overboard by an immense sea and drowned. The last two weeks of the trip the passengers had to depend on what rain they could catch for a supply of water.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Contributed by the Bulletin's Corps of Country Correspondents—Paragraphs Personal and Otherwise.

EAST LIMESTONE, Dec. 10th.—Monday was the gloomiest day of the season, terminating in quite a wind and rain storm from the northwest.

W. Parker and sister, Miss Mary, of Orangeburg, Saturday night were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Case. Mr. Parker gave some fine selections on the mandolin and was highly complimented by the neighboring guests who were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Beighle visited friends at Washington Sunday.

Howard Williams returned home Monday from Illinois where he spent the summer. He says when he left Farmer City Sunday a blinding snow was falling.

The loud report of guns heard in this neighborhood Saturday night originated from the noisy "chivarie" in the North Fork vicinity in honor of the White-Bramble nuptials. The persistent crowd was treated to supper and cigars.

CONCORD, LEWIS COUNTY, Dec. 9.—Farmers are busy husking corn and stripping tobacco, both of which crops are reported to be light.

William Miller, formerly of Lewis County, died at his home at Grimes, O., December 3rd, at the ripe old age of eighty-three years. His remains were interred at Clarksburg, Ky.

The school at Myers, near here, has reopened after being closed on account of scarlet fever. Dr. Grimes reports the disease checked.

An infant child of a Mrs. Berry was buried here Sunday.

Julius Aschenbust, who has been attending school at Lexington, returned home Saturday.

Joseph S. Hoop, a tobacco raiser of Fayette County, has moved to the Grimes farm at Brush Creek, O.

Dr. A. N. Ellis, of Maysville, was visiting his brother, Jerry Ellis, of Pleasant Bottom, O., Sunday.

Concord had another shocking fatality Saturday night. Joseph, the youngest son of John Redden, aged fifteen years, was instantly killed by train No. 77 at the west end of town. The body was horribly mangled. It is supposed the boy jumped from the moving train. This should be a warning to others who constantly ride the C. and O. trains at this point.

ORANGEBURG, Dec. 10.—Mrs. David Cooper, who has been ill for some weeks, is convalescing.

Whooping cough is said to be prevalent in Oak Woods neighborhood.

Mrs. W. H. Hord is ill with fever.

Miss Etta Tolle, who has been sick for several days, is better.

Marion Tolle has moved into this neighborhood.

Mrs. Lee Wood, of Mt. Gilead, has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Amanda Calvert, for several days.

Mrs. Alice King, of Maysville, was the pleasant guest of Mrs. Jas. Roe a few days since.

Elder Clarke, of Lexington, filled the pulpit at the Christian Church, morning and evening of the first Sunday. Mr. Clark is an able speaker and will doubtless give entire satisfaction to this congregation. He has been employed for the coming year.

Mrs. A. W. Bramel, of Mt. Gilead, returned home on Tuesday after spending several days with relatives in Orangeburg.

Miss Louise Alexander, of Maysville, was the guest of Mrs. W. H. Hord last week.

Miss Ida Mayhugh entertained several friends at dinner Sunday in honor of the visiting preacher, Elder Clarke of Lexington.

A number of young people spent a pleasant evening with Miss Birdie L. Calvert on Saturday. Music and games were indulged in and a merry time reported.

The little folks of the C. S. S. are talking of a Christmas tree the coming holidays.

Thomas Dickson and daughter, Miss Mary E., and Miss Jennie Dickson, attended the Bramel-White wedding near Bernard on Wednesday.

Elder Gobbie, of the Christian Church, who has resigned his pastorate here, will leave the first of the year for Canada where he will engage in evangelistic work in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. Mr. Gobbie has been with this church for three years. He is an able and faithful worker in the field, and his people sincerely regret his departure. He will preach his closing sermons here the fifth Sunday.

WEDONIA, Dec. 10.—Walter Knight is suffering from a badly sprained arm, caused by his horse getting away from him.

A. H. Calvert is having a new house built on the land near Tom Wood's home, he sold lately to a Bourbon County gentleman.

Isaac Davenport, of Orangeburg, visited the family of Mr. Mattingly Sunday.

Prof. Will King is our worthy Sunday school Superintendent.

Mr. and Mrs. Mattingly were in Maysville Saturday on business.

Miss Ringold, of Flemingsburg, was the guest of Miss Maud Goodman Sunday.

HELENA STATION, Dec. 9th.—Mrs. Bettie Finch is in Cincinnati.

Corn is selling at 60c. per bushel. The yield is very light, averaging from ten to twenty bushels per acre.

But little tobacco has been stripped as yet in this community.

Fodder is selling at 20c. per shock.

The contest at Mill Creek Christian Church on Friday evening, Dec. 13th, for the benefit of the Christian Endeavor Library fund, should be largely attended. A prize of \$10 in gold will be given. There are six contestants, all young ladies. The judges are Rev. Hugh Searcy, of Lewisburg Baptist Church, Prof. Caywood, of Flemingsburg High School and Rev. R. E. Moss, of Maysville Christian Church.

Milwaukee, Dec. 10.—Frederick James Sargent, for several years night clerk at the Auditorium hotel in Chicago, died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Sargent, of water on the brain. Mr. Sargent had a wide acquaintance.

DEWET MADE 'EM RUN

Two Columns of British Troops Were Forced to Retreat.

BOERS CAME NEAR BAGGING THEM.

Timely Arrival of Reinforcements all That Saved Kitchener's Scouts From Capture—Kitchener's Reports Show There Is Still War.

London, Dec. 10.—Dewet is reported to be close to Heilbron with 2,000 men, and to have come very near surrounding Kitchener's fighting scouts under Colonel Wilson. Colonel Remington, by making a night march of 30 miles, relieved Wilson, and both columns retired from Heilbron, with a few losses to the united commands.

Lord Kitchener, in a dispatch from Pretoria dated Dec. 9, reports the result of the week's work was 31 Boers killed, 17 wounded, 352 made prisoners, 35 surrendered, and quantities of supplies captured.

By advancing the line of blockhouses in the western part of the Transvaal, Lord Kitchener is now able for the first time to carry out systematic and continuous operations in the vicinity of Ermelo, Bethole and Carolina. Columns have cleared the southeastern districts of Orange River colony and are now opening northward of the Thabanchu line.

The Boers are still in force in the department west of Cape Colony, commanded by Maritz, who recently attacked Tontellboschkop. The Boers were driven off and Maritz was severely wounded.

Spanish Claims Dismissed.

Edinburgh, Dec. 10.—The court of sessions dismissed the action brought by the Spanish minister of marine against the Clyde Bank company for \$75,500 damages owing to the delay in the delivery of four torpedo-boat destroyers, which, is was claimed, were required for the American-Spanish war, but were not delivered within the contract time. The rulings of the court of sessions reverse the decision of the lower court. The sessions court held that as the contract was made with a state which was a monarchy, the monarch alone could make a claim. One of the judges dissented from the ruling, maintaining that to refuse the right to claim was to refuse to recognize and respect the constitutional position of a foreign minister of state, the action having been brought by the Spanish minister of marine.

To Protect the Prisoners.

Franklin, Ky., Dec. 10.—County Judge J. D. Moore issued orders placing guards on duty at the county jail here for the better protection of the prisoners, Caleb Powers and Berry and Jim Howard. The order was the result of a controversy between the judge and County Jailer Lawrence over the taking of two of these prisoners from the jail recently to the jailer's residence to take dinner and meet some friends. The jail will be constantly guarded until after the January term of the Franklin circuit court, at which time Jim Howard is to be tried.

Reward For the Murderer.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 10.—Pursuant to a call of the Fayette county bar, citizens held a mass meeting in the courthouse to take steps looking to the capture of the highwaymen who murdered and robbed Merchant J. N. Hawkins as he was on his way home Saturday night. After speeches were made \$400 was contributed, and it was decided to raise a citizens' fund to be offered as a reward for the capture of the guilty parties. The police have a suspect under arrest and they are at work on other clues.

Irish Visitors Depart.

New York, Dec. 10.—John E. Redmond, leader of the Irish parliamentary party, and his associates, Messrs. McHugh and O'Donnell, issued a farewell statement to their friends in America. It is announced that their mission has been the most successful since the days of Charles Stewart Parnell, and the envoys started on their return to Ireland Tuesday with the assurance that a fund of \$100,000 will be raised. A committee of 25 has been selected for this purpose.

Bank Cashier Gone.

Los Angeles, Dec. 10.—This city is all wrought up over the disappearance of H. J. Fleischman, cashier of the Farmers and Merchants' bank, who has not been seen since Saturday. His shortage is estimated at \$100,000, but he is bonded in a surety company for \$30,000 and has property which, if liable, will make up the deficit. Fleischman had been with the bank since 1875. He is 42, and married, his wife being a daughter of A. J. Harrall, a wealthy cattleman at Visalia.

London, Dec. 10.—At a session of the privy council King Edward definitely fixed June 26, 1902, as the date for his coronation. It was also decided that parliament will meet Jan. 16.

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THE WEATHER RECORD.

[For the 24 hours ending at 6:30 a. m.]
 State of weather..... Cloudy
 Highest temperature..... 37
 Lowest temperature..... 28
 Mean temperature..... 32.5
 Wind direction..... Southwesterly
 Precipitation (in inches) rain and melted snow .00
 Previously reported for December..... 2.08
 Total to date..... 2.08
 Dec. 11th, 9:30 a. m.—Cloudy and unsettled weather
 to-night. Snow is probable in the Ohio valley. Thursday, cloudy and cold.

SENATOR HOAR'S plan for disposing of anarchists is a good one. He wants civilized governments to purchase an island in the Pacific ocean, and deport all anarchists to this island, to enjoy the islands to themselves. They could pass the time then in carving, shooting or poisoning each other.

MONDAY, the widow of the late Millionaire Stanford gave Stanford University, San Francisco, \$30,000,000, real estate, stocks and bonds—the largest single gift ever bestowed on any institution of learning. Mrs. Stanford retained property worth several millions, so that she will be able to keep the wolf from her doors.

THE American Federation of Labor this week adopted a resolution denouncing child labor. Unquestionably a law should be passed in every State to prevent the working of little children in factories. Lazy and shiftless parents who force their children to do such work should be severely punished. In too many cases little ones are thus employed when they should be in the schools.

UNCLE SAM is paying out over \$3,000,000 a year in salaries to officials in the Philippines. Our new possessions seem to be regular bonanzas—for the office-holders. A Republican member of Congress, who has just returned from the Philippines, brought back a copy of the civilian pay-roll at Manila. He insists that it shows great extravagance on the part of this government, and that Congress should act in the matter.

WITH the changes suggested, and with partisan politics pushed to the rear and business principles brought to the front, Kentucky will soon become a hive of industry instead of being shunned by capitalists as she now is.—Public Ledger.

Well suppose the Republicans make a start at pushing partisan politics to the rear. The recent experience of some of them in Maysville in trying to bring partisan politics to the front has no doubt taught them a good lesson.

KENTUCKY CRIMINALS.

Jefferson County Leads in Number Sent Up Last Year—Fayette Comes Second. Few Paroles.

FRANKFORT, Ky., December 9.—Clerk Stone, of the penitentiary, has turned over to the Prison Commissioners his report for the year. The daily average number of prisoners during the year was 1,235. Jefferson led all other counties in number of prisoners sent up during the year, having 260. Fayette came next, with 119, Madison is third, with thirty-five.

A unique feature is that Kenton and and Campbell counties, with a population ranking up next to these, send only a few convicts each year, which may be accounted for by the fact that criminals in those counties go to Cincinnati to do their work, and if they get into trouble it is with the Ohio laws that they have to deal.

Neither Governor Beckham nor the State Parole Board seem to have worked overtime, only thirty-seven pardons and thirty-eight paroles being recorded during the twelve months.

STATE DEFRAUDED.

Charged That Crooked Work is Being Done in Some Mountain Counties in Witness Claims.

State Auditor Coulter has received information that frauds in witness claims against the State are being perpetrated in Bell County and one or two adjoining counties, and will have the matter fully investigated.

It is said that a number of witnesses for the defense in felony cases have been allowed pay and mileage, which is contrary to law. Witness claim frauds have been persistently perpetrated in Eastern Kentucky for many years, and all efforts of the lawmakers to eradicate the evil have proved ineffective.

It is a matter of record in one of the mountain counties that a sham trial of a dog for murder was held and several hundred dollars in witness fees were allowed and actually paid by the State before the fraud was discovered.

WHAT SHALL IT BE?

The absorbing question. Let us help you answer it. We are ready for all in search of desirable gifts. Only two weeks until Christmas. You have had experience and know what it is to delay. Let us urge you to begin. Stocks are complete. There's nothing more to come.

Velvets To-morrow For 75c. a Yard.

We have an announcement to interest anyone who wants to give a pretty waist for Christmas. We are going to close out an accumulation of short ends and pieces ranging up to five yards. Several pieces of Fancy Velvet. Several shades of Corduroy. These goods have been \$1 yard. Be on hand promptly if you want to be sure of sharing the bargain. And you know there was never a better velvet season.

Special in Bl'k Dress Goods for Christmas.

One bolt of our finest black satin finished dress goods, forty-four inches wide, five yards enough for a dress, former price \$1.15, special price until Christmas, \$1. We have other nice dress goods in black and colors, any of them suitable for gifts. Prices, 25c., 29c., 39c., 45c., 50c.

Furs For Christmas.

Pretty neck scarfs in mink, neaseal, opossum, martinette and black coneys. All nicely lined and finished. You'll find them down stairs on center table, marked at a special Christmas price, \$2.50.

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The stock is more complete, prettier, daintier than ever—silk, cambric, linen, all are here, with lace edges, delicate embroidery, insertions, open work, hemstitching. Pure linen handkerchiefs 5c. Very pretty handkerchiefs, endless variety of patterns, easily worth 15c., here for 10c. Dainty handkerchiefs for 15c., 25c., 35c., lace, scallop or hemstitched edge, beautiful patterns. Real works of art are the 50c., 75c. and \$1 handkerchiefs. Never were there prettier patterns. Choose early if you want these for they are selling fast.

Muffs for men and boys, light or dark colors, large size, 50c., 75c., \$1.

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BRADLEY AND YERKES.

The Ex-Governor Still After the Danville Man—The Republican Row Grows Hotter.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Dec. 6.—In an interview given to-day ex-Gov. Bradley took occasion to emphasize his recent utterances about Internal Revenue Commissioner Yerkes.

"John Yerkes," said he, "has attained such an altitude that a man of ordinary standing cannot reach him. He reminds me of Pinkerton's pup. Pinkerton's pup had a curl in her tail, and when she discovered it she grew proud, so proud, in fact, that she screwed up her tail so tight her hind legs couldn't reach the ground."

The ex-Governor looked like he meant it, too. He declares that there can be no doubt that his friend Collier will become Surveyor of the Port at Louisville. As to his fight on Sam Roberts Mr. Bradley remained silent. He went so far as to profess ignorance of the aspirations of Major Wood in connection with the Lexington Collectorship, but took occasion to say a few friendly words for the Mt. Sterling man, who may yet gain his influence, if he wants in.

IMPORTANT POINT.

Involved in a Suit Now Pending in the Court of Appeals.

FRANKFORT, Ky., December 5.—A suit of vital importance to all the old gas and light companies was filed here to-day by the People's Electric Light and Power Company vs. The Capital Gas and Electric Light Company, both of this city. The decision involves the proper construction of Section 164 of the Constitution, relating to the sale and letting of franchises by cities and counties.

The People's Electric Light and Power Company purchased at public sale, as required by the Constitution, the right to furnish electric lights and power for the city of Frankfort for twenty years, and claims that such purchase under the Constitution gives it the exclusive right in the matter against corporations that operate under private contract with the city or under mere consent of the City Council.

Almost every telephone, telegraph, electric light, street railway, water and heating company doing business in Kentucky will be affected by the decision in this case.

Prayer meeting at the Central Presbyterian Church at the usual hour. The public invited.

Mr. George H. Traxel, the plumber, has been granted a patent for a safety attachment for water backs.

George H. C. Stoney, of Germantown, has been called by the Flemingsburg Christian Church, and will enter upon his ministry there the first of January.

Dogs have been playing havoc with sheep in Montgomery County, and farmers are up in arms. Within the past month over 100 sheep have been killed and crippled.

The Goebel Reward Commission has been called to meet December 19th for the purpose of considering claims presented by detectives for the conviction of Henry Youtsey.

Charles Ramsey, James Washington and Bud Jordan, convicted at the present term of the Circuit Court and given terms in the penitentiary, were sentenced Tuesday by Judge Harbeson. Ramsey goes up for eighteen years, Washington for two years and Jordan for one year.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. George Tudor, Jr., and family have returned to New York City.

—Mr. Chas. M. Grimes, of near this city, is home after an extended visit in Jerseyville, Ill., and St. Louis.

—Mr. and Mrs. George P. Altmeyer, of Paris, have returned home after spending a few days here with relatives.

—Mrs. L. A. Langfels is in Covington where she was called by the illness of her father who is suffering with erysipelas.

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Encourage your boy and girl to save their money by giving them for a CHRISTMAS GIFT a certificate in the

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SAFE! SURE! SUCCESSFUL!

WANTED.

SALESMAN wanted to look after our interests in Mason and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address THE VICTOR OIL COMPANY, Cleveland, O. 7-431

GOVERNMENT POSITIONS—Young men wanted for Railway Mail Clerks. Inter-State Correspondence, Cedar Rapids, Ia. 7-4107

WANTED—Man and wife, without children, to do farm work, wife to cook for small family. Address R. D. McDANIEL, box 14, Summerside, Ohio. 5-331

WANTED—A house girl and cook. None need apply but first-class. White preferred. Apply to MRS. MARY C. WILSON, East Third street. 5-311

WANTED—Girls—Experienced and inexperienced in fitting room and packing room. Can earn good wages. L. V. MARKS & CO., Augusta, Ky. 4-311

A. N. ELLIS, A. M., M. D.

Formerly Clinical Assistant in the London Central Throat and Ear Hospital; Prof. Laryngology, Cincinnati College of Medicine and Surgery '82-'90. Specialist in diseases of the

EYE, EAR AND THROAT.

Eyes tested and Glasses ground to order. Office: 126 W. Third street.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—"Bourbon Red" turkeys. Call on or address MRS. CHAS. H. PARRY, Helena Station, Ky. 11-661

Hiram M. Taylor was Tuesday appointed Deputy Master Commissioner.

LOVEL'S

HOLIDAY SPECIAL!

My immense purchases specially for the Holidays are arriving daily, and on Monday, the 9th day of December, I shall have opened up and on sale the largest, most complete, attractive and up-to-date stock ever put on sale in our city. My stock of

CANDIES, NUTS AND FIREWORKS

Is simply enormous and the prices unprecedently low. Just think of it: Best Mixed Nuts only 12c. per pound; Mixed and Stick Candy only 6c. per pound. Fireworks to burn at almost nothing. Look at prices, boys:

ROMAN CANDLES.

4-ball..... 1c. each, 5c. per dozen
 6-ball..... 1c. each, 10c. per dozen
 8-ball..... 1c. each, 12c. per dozen
 10-ball..... 1c. each, 15c. per dozen
 12-ball..... 1c. each, 25c. per dozen
 15-ball..... 1c. each, 35c. per dozen
 20-ball..... 1c. each, 45c. per dozen

Besides no end to Cannon Crackers, from 3-inch up to 12-inch, and the noisiest ones you ever heard; and Torpedoes, all at lowest prices ever offered. All who have heretofore bought Fireworks of me need not be told that I handle only the best. My stock of

Canned Goods and Fancy Groceries

Is always full and complete. I make a specialty of the very finest Open Kettle New Orleans Molasses, Lewis County Sorghum, finest Teas, greatest varieties of Coffees, both green and roasted; always headquarters for POULTRY, GAME, OYSTERS, Celery, Cranberries, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Apples, Currants, Raisins, Figs, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel, Dates, Buckwheat Flour, Pancake Flour, Graham Flour, Whole Wheat Flour, Cereals of all kinds, Pickles, sour and sweet, Mince Meat, Jellies, Preserves, Cheese of all kinds, in fact everything good to eat and of the very best. DON'T SELL ANY LOW-GRADE, STALE OR UNWHOLESOME GOODS. When buying Flour, if you want the best, always buy Perfection. My fine Blended Coffees, of which I sell three grades at 15, 20 and 25 cents, are equal to the best 30, 25 and 30 cent goods sold by others. I buy my coffees in large quantities from the importers, have them roasted and blended myself, and know exactly what I sell; besides they are always fresh. My aim has been to deal fairly with the people—give them the best goods obtainable at very lowest prices possible. My large and steadily increasing trade convinces me that my efforts in this particular are fully appreciated by the public. A special invitation is extended to all to visit my store and make it their headquarters when in our city. Specially low prices always made to dealers. Always buy the Plymouth Rock Oysters; in cans and bulk. They are always the best. Received fresh from Baltimore every day. PHONE 93.

R. B. LOVEL,

THE LEADING GROCER.

Wholesale and Retail.

THE BEE HIVE

Don't put off until to-morrow what you can do to-day.

Have you seen our Christmas window?

The Early Bird Catches the Worm!

The early shopper gets the choice of the variety.
The early shopper avoids the rush.
The early shopper can choose her gifts at leisure.
The early shopper is a sensible shopper.

WE SUGGEST YOU SELECT.

Handkerchiefs—an immense variety from 5c. up.
Gloves—guaranteed brand \$1.
Neckwear, 50c.
Suspenders in glass boxes, 25c.
Mufflers, 25c. to \$1.50.
Umbrellas, ladies' and gents', 30c. to \$5.
Table Linen—all prices.
Shirts, 25c. to 98c.
Shirt Waists, 49c. to \$5.
Silks—for waists, 49c. to \$1.50 yard.
Pillow Tops, 25c., 50c.
Capes, 75c. up.
Cloaks, \$2.50 up.
Hosiery, 10c. to \$1.25 pair.
Pocket-books, 5c. to \$18.
China Plates—decorated, 25c.
China Trays, 8c., 10c., 25c.

Books, by the best authors, 15c., 19c.
The latest novels, \$1.19.
Bibles, 98c.
Medallions, 25c.; beautiful subjects.
Mirrors, on easels, 25c.
Albums, 25c. to \$2.50.
Candle Sticks, fancy metal, 15c. to 98c.
Box Paper and Envelopes, 5c., 10c., 15c., 25c.
Perfume, 5c. to 50c.
Combs and Brushes, Aluminum, 75c. to \$3.
Aluminum Mirrors, \$2 to \$2.50.
Inkstands, 25c. to \$2.50.
Aluminum Collar and Cuff Boxes, \$1.50.
Aluminum Necktie and Glove Boxes, \$1.50.
Cigar Cases, 35c. to \$1.
Cigar Cases, 25c. to \$1.
Trays, nicely engraved, 10c. to \$1.25.
Photograph Frames, 25c. to 75c.

And just think, we have not mentioned one-third of the articles we have for Xmas gifts.

MERZ BROS

KINGS OF LOW PRICES

PROP'S OF BEE HIVE.

"OLD GOLD" MILL.

They Have Recently Been Overhauled and Improved and Resumed Operations Tuesday.

The "Old Gold" flour mill, after receiving some improvements and an overhauling of the interior, resumed operations Tuesday. Up-to-date machinery for the making of flour has been substituted for the old, and the manufacture of its popular brands will now be carried on under modern conditions.

This mill has the most advantageous location in Maysville for such an enterprise.

Buy your coal now and get it free from snow and ice. Remember we have the best coal ever in this market. Ask your neighbor who uses Plymouth or Raymond City coal. Call and see us or phone No. 70. GABLE BROS.

See Ray's line of toilet sets.

Ralston health food—Calhoun's.

Z. N. Thacker has been appointed postmaster at Pugh, Lewis County.

Miss Phoebe Marshall is reported quite sick at her home in Washington.

Mr. Boyd K. Muse has been appointed a sub-carrier for the Maysville postoffice.

We are not out of coal. We have plenty of it. It is No. 1 coal. Wm. Davis.

Born, December 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Clift, of Bracken County, a fine daughter.

Thieves carried off a couple dozen chickens from Rev. W. T. Spears' home at Washington Sunday night.

The prayer meeting service at the Christian Church to-night, at 7 o'clock, will be held in the main room. Baptism at close. The public invited.

A NATIVE OF MAYSVILLE.

Mrs. Ann E. Davis, Formerly of This City, Passes Away at Cincinnati at a Ripe Age.

Died, Monday, December 9, Mrs. Ann E. Davis, in her ninety-first year, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Grannan, 805 Barr street, Cincinnati.

Mrs. Davis was a native of Maysville and spent many years in this city. Her maiden name was Gulick. She was the widow of James Davis, who was engaged in the tinware business while a resident of this city. Mrs. Davis leaves a number of relatives here, among them the family of Major John Walsh and of the late J. M. C. Ballenger.

The remains will be brought here on the 1:36 train Thursday and taken direct to the cemetery for interment. Rev. F. W. Harrop will conduct short funeral services at the grave.

We Are Now Prepared For the Holiday Trade!

A great many wait to make their purchases a day or two before Christmas. Don't do that, unless it is perishable goods. We want you to come as early in the month as you conveniently can. You secure better attention as you know how crowded we are a few days before Christmas.

It is time for you to buy your own and your boys' winter Suit and Overcoat. During this entire month we will hold out special inducements in prices, that compared with other houses' prices (quality considered) will make you a factor in making this month the biggest business doing one in our history.

Our line of Furnishing Goods, of which any article in it will make handsome holiday gifts, is so complete as you will find in the largest city. You will find here the latest creations in Neckwear, Shirts, Underwear, Hosiery, etc., at the lowest prices. If you buy a Stetson Derby or Soft Felt Hat of us, you will have the newest shape designed by the most exclusive hat house in the world.

Our Hanan & Son and W. L. Douglas Shoes, every pair of which we warrant to give satisfaction, have in a short time put us in the front rank as one of the best Men and Boys' Shoes houses in the State.

D. HECHINGER & CO.,

THE HOME STORE.

A

WHITE VEST

Would make an elegant Christmas gift. We have an elegant line from \$1.25 to \$3.50. Come early before they are all gone.

J. WESLEY LEE,

THE CLOTHIER.

If you are desirous of making your friends happy get a bottle of the famous "Rogers' Old Stock," "Bourbon or Rye," at G. W. Rogers & Co.'s, 127 Market street.

Fred L. Auxier, general manager of the Klondike store of Millersburg, and Miss Lilyan H. Paton, daughter of the late Ben Payton, also of Bourbon, were married in the parlors of the Palace Hotel, Cincinnati, Monday by the Rev. U. V. W. Darlington, of Covington.

The funeral of the late Thomas Throop Emmons took place Tuesday morning, R. E. Moss officiating. Burial in the Maysville Cemetery. Deceased served in the Confederate army during the Civil war as a member of Company C, Captain Nathan Laforge, of the Second Battalion of Kentucky Mounted Riflemen, Col. Tom Johnson, of Mt. Sterling, commanding.

Ralph Gebbie, minister of the Orangeburg Christian Church, is assisting in an interesting protracted meeting at Dover, the services having resulted in three additions to the church at last accounts. He will not fill his appointment at Orangeburg next Sunday, but will preach there morning and evening the fifth Sunday instead. These will be his closing sermons at Orangeburg, as he leaves for Canada the first of the year. Mr. Gebbie is a native of New Zealand. His parents still reside on that far-off island.

Ashland Independent: "A letter was received from the nurse at the hospital in Cincinnati, where Miss Lottie Culver Jones has been for several months. It stated that the operation which Miss Jones had to undergo was very severe, causing her great suffering; and that it was very much worse than was anticipated. The bone had to be scraped and wired. It will be remembered that Miss Jones had her leg broken just below the knee by being thrown from a carriage in a runaway. It happened in Mason county last summer, at which time her sister was killed. Miss Jones' many friends here will regret to learn that her condition is so serious."

See Ray's Xmas leather goods.

Sousa's great band is booked to appear at the opera house March 28th.

The lamps shown at Schatzmann's are the best and cheapest in the market.

Ex-Confederates of Bourbon County raised \$222 last Saturday for the State Confederate Home.

Mr. E. P. Claybrook, ex-Mason County, is a member of the Board of Tax Supervisors in Bourbon County.

To wind up our business by the first of the year we will sell furniture below cost. C. H. WHITE.

Just received supply grate and stove coal and second pool Youghiogheny blacksmith. Jos. H. Dodson, Wall street.

Mrs. W. L. Iardella and children, of Baltimore, have returned home after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lynch.

The choicest collection of hand-painted china ever shown in Maysville is now displayed in Ballenger's window. He will be pleased to show you and give prices.

The Governor has offered \$300 each for the murderers of J. N. Hawkins, of Lexington. The Lexington authorities have also raised a fund to pay for skilled detectives to run down the assassins.

Russell Hall, charged with murder, escaped from the Flemingsburg jail Tuesday morning by tunneling his way out. He was awaiting trial for killing James Markwell at Grange City last August.

For the best whisky in the world for the holiday trade go to O. H. P. Thomas & Co., Market street, Maysville, Ky., and get Old Time Bourbon and Maysville Club Rye, from three to twenty-one years old. Sold direct from the distillery.

Lexington friends are in receipt of a letter from Prof. John Shackelford, who is out in the State of Washington, bringing the good news that he is gradually recovering his sight. The trouble was caused by the bursting of a blood vessel in the back part of his right eye.

"Boys' and Girls' Rally Day for America" will be celebrated at the Germantown Christian Church next Lord's Day morning at 10 o'clock. Elder McMillan, of Brooksville, Ind., will preach at 11 o'clock. Everybody is invited. The members are especially urged to be present. Remember the hour, 10 o'clock.

The BULLETIN'S Washington correspondent writes that March 6th, of 1901, was the coldest day of last winter, the mercury standing at 2° above zero. The temperature may have been that low out at Washington, but the records of the Maysville weather observer show that 5° was the coldest at this place last winter. The observer uses the government self-registering thermometers. It is usually two or three degrees cooler on the hills than along the river.

"Krismus

Am comin', an' dere's a golden opportunity to gather in de coin at....

BARKLEY'S,

a fac' ob which dis coon is well aware. Ise goin' to grasp it."



A Heap of Money

to be distributed among Barkley's customers in addition to other Holiday remembrances



JOLLY OLD Santa Claus'

Work this year will be shouldered, in a great measure, by us. The growing tendency towards giving useful gifts prevails to much greater degree now than ever before, and our store is headquarters for presents of this class.



We have drawn rather heavily on the old fellow's wonderful storehouse this season and have selected an unusually handsome line of goods of a substantial nature which make very acceptable Christmas Presents. The list comprises:

CARVING KNIVES IN SETS, SCISSORS IN CASES, ELEGANT BRASS FIRE SETS, BEAUTIFUL COAL VASES, GEM FOOD CHOPPERS, TRIPLE-PLATED KNIVES, FORKS AND SPOONS, FINE PEARL AND STAG POCKET KNIVES, SKATES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

FRANK OWENS HARDWARE COMPANY.

Praise For a Maysvillian.

[Felicity, O., Times.]
Much commendation comes to us of the genteel, courteous and polite attention accorded passengers from this point over C. and O. by Mr. J. T. Lynch, the agent of the C. and O. at Bradford, Ky. True Mr. Lynch is paid by the company for his service as agent, but the kind and prompt attention he gives the smallest details for your comfort and convenience is both gracious and commendable. If all roads had such agents throughout their individual lines there would be an extra pleasure to travel.

May Repeat the Entertainment.

As the weather last Sunday night was very inclement preventing many from attending the exercises at the Christian Church, members of the Sunday school may repeat the program next Friday night, with a number of musical selections added, including some vocal solos and duets. Members of the school are asked to meet this evening after the prayer meeting when the matter will be definitely decided.

Strange Disease Kills Cattle.

FALMOUTH, KY., Dec. 10.—The farmers are very much worked up over a disease among the cattle. The cattle are attacked suddenly with all symptoms of poisoning and only live a few hours. L. A. Applegate, a large cattle raiser near town, had his herd nearly wiped out by the disease.

River News.

Rivermen complain of the light freight traffic.

The rain this week will insure a good stage for some time to come.

Keystone State due down this evening and Stanley to-night. Up to-night, the Bonanza for Pomeroy.

The big towboat Harvester is en route from St. Louis to Pittsburg. She has been bought by one of the independent companies.

Major S. R. Crumbaugh has been notified by Col. W. E. Bundy from Columbus, O., of the assessing of a fine of \$200 and costs against Baylor Spratt, chief engineer of the steamer Sunshine, and Thomas Daniels, the assistant engineer. It was recently charged that the safety valves were obstructed, resulting in Spratt's arrest, and during his trial Daniels incriminated himself.

Last week 346,000 tons of coal, shipped by all companies, passed the Davis Island Dam. In bushels this shipment totaled 9,464,000. Of this amount 1,750,000 bushels of coal were shipped by the independent companies, leaving a total of 7,714,000 bushels of coal moved to the South by the coal combine. During the first week of navigation in 1900 the amount of coal passing the Davis Island Dam, according to the records kept there, was about 13,000,000 bushels.

We have the best coal and plenty of it
WM. DAVIS.

Young Man, Attention!

Here are a few appropriate presents. Diamond ring, pendants or brooch, handsome watch, umbrella, toilet set, manicure set, cut glass perfume bottles, comb and brush, puff box, bracelet, card case pocket-book, bead bag, sewing sets, and many other things which we will be glad to show you.

P. J. MURPHY, the Jeweler.

The suit of Milton Johnson against C. F. Zweigart was decided in favor of defendant.

Hon. E. L. Worthington is presiding as special Judge in the Circuit Court in the case of James Higgins against John Marshall's administrators. Judge Harbeson declined to sit in the case, as he is related to the defendants.

"Take care of the pennies and the pounds will take care of themselves."

Large things are but an aggregation of small things. If we take care of the large things we are in effect taking care of the small things which the small things combine to make.

Take care of what you eat, when you eat, and how you eat, and your stomach will take care of itself. But who takes care of such trivial things? That is why, someday, the majority of people have to take care of the stomach. When that day comes, there is no aid so effective in undoing the result of past carelessness as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It strengthens the stomach, and restores the organs of digestion and nutrition to a condition of healthy activity. It cures biliousness, heartburn, flatulence, indigestion, palpitation, dizziness, cold extremities and a score of other ailments which are but the symptoms of disorder in the stomach and its allied organs.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE!

MASON CIRCUIT COURT.

O. E. French's adm'r, Plaintiff.
Against Rosa French and als., Equit. Defendants.

In obedience to a judgment and order of sale of the Mason Circuit Court, rendered in the above mentioned cause at the November term, 1901, I shall, on

Thursday, December 12, 1901,

at 2 o'clock p. m., at Court House door, in Maysville, Ky., proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of one-third of purchase money payable March 1st, 1902; one-third payable March 1st, 1903, and the remaining one-third March 1st, 1904, the following real property, to-wit: Said land is in three tracts all contiguous and situated on the waters of the Northfork of Licking river in Mason County and on west side of Germantown and Lowell turnpike.

Tract No. 1 contains 84 acres, 1 rood and 7 poles, being the same land sold to Casper Haugh by Master Commissioner Allan D. Cole, by deed, October 25, 1887, in deed book 89, page 206.

Tract No. 2, see deed book 91, page 615, contains 100 acres and adjoins tract No. 1.

Tract No. 3 adjoins, see deed book 94, page 274, and contains 17½ acres. The three tracts are contiguous and form one tract of 196 acres and twenty seven poles.

This land will be offered in parcels and as a whole, and will be sold in the manner which will realize the greatest sum; or sufficient thereof to produce the sum of money to be made and probable costs of this action, to-wit: \$1,650. The purchaser must be prepared to promptly execute bond, with approved security, for the purchase price, which bond shall bear legal interest from day of sale until paid.

C. BURGESS TAYLOR,
Master Commissioner.
Garrett S. Wall, Attorney for Plaintiff.

PRIVATE SALE

—OF—

Mason County Farm!

The farm of the late Joseph T. Frazee, deceased, is now offered for sale privately. Said farm contains 168 acres and is located one mile from Germantown on the German town and Minerva turnpike. This farm has upon it a good dwelling house, two tobacco barns, stock barn, corn crib and other necessary outbuildings. The land is in a high state of cultivation and is No. 1 Mason County land; convenient to schools and churches. Full possession will be given March 1st, 1902; purchaser will have privilege of seeding this fall. For terms and further particulars address either of the undersigned. AMANDA M. FRAZEE or R. K. HART, Flemingsburg, Ky.

DR. LANDMAN.

Central Hotel,

Thursday, January 2.

LOST.

LOST—Tuesday, a red pocketbook containing a small sum of money. Finder will please leave at this office.

STRAY HOG—A stray hog got into my lot a month or so ago. Owner can get same by proving property and paying costs. JOS. TUCKER, on Hill City pike.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Flat of four rooms. All improvements. Apply to ERNIE WHITE, 30-03t

FOR RENT—Two houses on West Third street one five rooms, one other six. In good repair. Rent reasonable. Apply at J. H. RAINE & CO.'s warehouse. 27-06t

Death of Mrs. Mary Beckett.

Word was received here this morning of the death of Mrs. Mary Beckett at Mt. Carmel last night, from pneumonia. She recently moved there from this city. She leaves two sons,—R. T. and Porter. Her many friends will regret to learn the sad news.

Model Ranges and Heaters.

No seconds. Best and lowest in price. I earnestly invite a thorough examination of their merits. Sold by W. F. Power.

Hay, feed, flour and fertilizer, for sale at the "Old Gold" Mills.

SALE

Of Telephone Turnpike Franchise and Privilege.

By order of the Fiscal Court of Mason County I will on

Saturday, December 21, 1901,

at 11 o'clock a. m., at the Court House door, in Maysville, Ky., offer for sale at public outcry to the highest and best bidder, but reserving in the Fiscal Court the right to reject any and all bids, the franchise and privilege, but not the exclusive franchise or privilege, for a period of twenty years to construct, operate and maintain a telephone system on, over and along the following public roads in Mason County, viz:

1. The Maysville and Lexington Turnpike Road and its branch roads, viz: Jersey Ridge Turnpike, Kenton Station Turnpike, Maple Turnpike, Clarke's Run Turnpike, Mayslick and Millcreek Turnpike, Mayslick and Sardia Turnpike, Abolom Creek Turnpike and Mayslick and Flat Fork Turnpike.

2. The Mt. Sterling Turnpike Road and its branch roads, viz: Taylor's Mill Turnpike, Strude's Run Turnpike, Horse Shoe Turnpike, Owens' Turnpike, Lewisburg and Mt. Gilead Turnpike and Millcreek Turnpike.

3. The Hill City Turnpike Road and its branch road the Horse Shoe Turnpike. Each of the three main roads, including their branches, will be offered for sale separately on a credit of six months. Purchaser will be required to execute bond bearing interest, with good surety. In the event the sale is approved and confirmed by the Fiscal Court the purchaser shall in good faith commence the construction of said telephone system within six months from date of confirmation of sale and complete same as soon as practicable and as soon as patronage will justify and shall furnish good and efficient service at reasonable charges and give all county officials the free use of the system for official business.

By order of Fiscal Court entered November 23rd, 1901. SAMUEL P. PERRINE, Sheriff of Mason County.

Maysville, Ky., Dec. 4, 1901.

BEST BARGAINS IN

DINNER and TOILET WARE!

Lamps, Salids, Cakes, Chops, Jar-dinieres, and a new line of Fire Proof Baking Dishes.

See our 5 and 10c. counters.

BROWN'S China Palace,

NO. 40 West Second Street, Maysville, Ky.

WATCHES!

We have a nice line of solid gold Watches, Elgin or Waltham movements, at \$13.50. Gold-filled with Elgin or Waltham movement, \$9.75.

In Solid Silver Ware

We are the acknowledged leaders in low prices on high grade goods. Beautiful pattern Tea Spoons from \$4 up. Solid silver.

CLOONEY, THE JEWELER.

The Racket

It's almost time for "Santa Claus" and we will be headquarters for everything in Dolls, Toys, Books, Games, novelties and fancy goods. Our goods are now open for inspection, and if you come early you will find a selection of gift goods much easier than if you wait until the last few days of the month. Our prices are below competition, and our goods such as merit your careful inspection.

Just now we want to call your attention to our line of guaranteed Rings, which range in price from 25c. up to 98c., the latter being the price of a ladies' solid gold Set Ring. Have you seen the new Lockets? We have them at 25c. and 50c. The newest in ladies' Sash Pins at 25c. Also a nice line of Brooches in beautiful and artistic designs and only 50c. Everything cheap at

THE RACKET, 48 W. Sec. St., Maysville, L. H. YOUNG & CO., PROP'S.

COAL! COAL!

We have just received a supply of KANAWHA and WILLIAMS Coal. We will deliver to any part of the city. Your patronage solicited. Office—Corner Second and Limestone streets. Phone 190.

Ball, Mitchel & Co.

Morris C. Hutchins, ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE—Court street, lately occupied by T. C. Campbell, Esq.
Special attention will be given to real estate and collections.

Dr. Anna B. Hewins,

THE LADY DENTIST, Has located permanently in Maysville where she has opened a dental parlor. All kinds of high class painless dentistry done in the most artistic and scientific manner. PRICES RIGHT. Gold crowns and bridge work \$5 to \$10. Best sets of teeth on rubber \$5 to \$10. Gold fillings \$1 and up. Office: No. 23½ West Second street.

The Corn Crop is Short!

We have too much stock and feed is scarce. We cannot afford to winter it, so will sell now while it is in good order, at the lowest prices on

Men's Heavy Boots, Men's and Boys' Felt Boots, and Men's and Boys' Extra-High-Top Shoes

ever made in Maysville. Choice of any fine Shoe in our house, \$2.98, at Dan Cohen's Great Western Shoe Store.

W. H. MEANS,

Assistant Superintendent For the Purchase of Boots and Shoes For the Ninth Congressional District.